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Best first step, use Pyth. identity here then factor difference of squares.

Using the conjugate is another way, but takes longer.

$$\frac{(1 - \csc x) \cot^2 x}{(1 - \csc x)(1 + \csc x)} = \frac{1 - \sin x}{\sin x}$$

$$\frac{\cot^2 x (1 - \csc x)}{1 - \csc^2 x} = \frac{1 - \sin x}{\sin x}$$

$$\frac{\cot^2 x (1 - \csc x)}{1 - (1 + \cot^2 x)} = \frac{1 - \sin x}{\sin x}$$

$$\frac{\cancel{\cot^2 x} (1 - \csc x)}{-\cancel{\cot^2 x}} = \frac{1 - \sin x}{\sin x}$$

$$-1 + \csc x = \frac{1 - \sin x}{\sin x}$$

$$-\frac{\sin x}{\sin x} + \frac{1}{\sin x} = \frac{1 - \sin x}{\sin x}$$

$$\frac{1 - \sin x}{\sin x} = \frac{1 - \sin x}{\sin x} \quad \checkmark$$

In Exercises 1–60, verify the given identity.

5.  $\cos^2 \beta - \sin^2 \beta = 1 - 2 \sin^2 \beta$

9.  $\sin^2 \alpha - \sin^4 \alpha = \cos^2 \alpha - \cos^4 \alpha$

13.  $\frac{\cot^2 t}{\csc t} = \csc t - \sin t$

17.  $\frac{1}{\sec x \tan x} = \csc x - \sin x$

$$\cos x \cdot \cot x =$$

$$\cos x \cdot \frac{\cos x}{\sin x} =$$

$$\frac{\cos^2 x}{\sin x} =$$

$$\frac{1 - \sin^2 x}{\sin x} =$$

$$\frac{1}{\sin x} - \frac{\sin^2 x}{\sin x} =$$

$$\csc x - \sin x = \csc x - \sin x$$

21.  $\csc x - \sin x = \cos x \cot x$

29.  $[2 \sec^2 x - 2 \sec^2 x \sin^2 x] - \sin^2 x - \cos^2 x = 1$

$$2 \sec^2 x (1 - \sin^2 x) - 1 (\sin^2 x + \cos^2 x)$$

$$2 \cdot \frac{1}{\cancel{\cos^2 x}} \cancel{\cos^2 x} - 1$$

$$2 - 1$$

$$1 = 1 \quad \checkmark$$

$\frac{(1+\sin \theta) \cos \theta \cot \theta}{(1+\sin \theta)(1-\sin \theta)} - 1 = \csc \theta$

$$\frac{\cos \theta \cot \theta (1+\sin \theta)}{1-\sin^2 \theta} - 1$$

$$\frac{\cancel{\cos \theta} \cot \theta (1+\sin \theta)}{\cos^2 \theta} - 1$$

$$\frac{1}{\cancel{\cos \theta}} \left( \frac{\cancel{\cos \theta} (1+\sin \theta)}{\sin \theta} \right) - 1$$

$$\frac{1+\sin \theta}{\sin \theta} - \frac{\sin \theta}{\sin \theta}$$

$$\frac{1}{\sin \theta}$$

$$\csc \theta = \csc \theta \quad \checkmark$$

$$33. \csc^4 x - 2 \csc^2 x + 1 = \cot^4 x$$

$$37. \frac{\sin \beta}{1 - \cos \beta} = \frac{1 + \cos \beta}{\sin \beta}$$

$$41. \cos\left(\frac{\pi}{2} - x\right) \csc x = 1$$

$$45. \frac{\cos(-\theta)}{1 + \sin(-\theta)}$$

$$45. \frac{\cos(-\theta)}{1 + \sin(-\theta)} = \sec \theta + \tan \theta$$

$$49. \frac{\tan x + \cot y}{\tan x \cot y} = \tan y + \cot x$$

$$\frac{\cancel{\tan x}}{\cancel{\tan x} \cot y} + \frac{\cot y}{\tan x \cancel{\cot y}} =$$

$$\frac{1}{\cot y} + \frac{1}{\tan x} =$$

$$\tan y + \cot x = \tan y + \cot x \checkmark$$

$$53. \ln|\tan \theta| = \ln|\sin \theta| - \ln|\cos \theta|$$

$$\ln \left| \frac{\sin \theta}{\cos \theta} \right| =$$

$$\ln|\sin \theta| - \ln|\cos \theta|$$

$$57. \sin^2 x + \sin^2 \left( \frac{\pi}{2} - x \right) = 1$$

In Exercises 61–64, explain why the equation is not an identity and find one value of the variable for which the equation is not true.

63.  $\sqrt{\tan^2 x} = \tan x$

$$\sqrt{(\tan x)^2}$$

HW: PC book p. 411  
odds that are not boxed,  
skip 3, 7, 23